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Attorney Docket No. 200730

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

WANG et al.

Application No. 09/458,139

Filed: December 9, 1999

For: ACCELERATING A DISTRIBUTED
COMPONENT ARCHITECTURE
OVER A NETWORK USING A
DIRECT MARSHALING

Group Art Unit: 2126

Examiner: Li B. Zhen

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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2002, Applicant requests that following amendment be entered and that the following response be considered.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 4, 8, 11, 14-17, 19, 24, 27, 31, 34, 37-40 and 42 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of communication between a first object located on a first computer having a first memory location and a Remote Procedure Call layer, wherein the RPC layer has access to an RPC buffer, and a second object located on a second computer, the first and second

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition for Extension of Time

☒ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).

☐ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	46	MINUS	46	=	x 9=	\$0.00	x 18=	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	MINUS	4	=	x 42=	\$0.00	x 84=	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$0.00
					TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$0.00

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$110.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☐ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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